



Brazoria Telephone Company

March 22, 2002

Irene Flannery
Vice President – High Cost and Low Income Division
Universal Service Administrative Company
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Re: CC Docket No. 96-45

This is to certify that Brazoria Telephone Company ("the company"), will use its Interstate Common Line Support and Long Term Support only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

I am authorized to make this certification on behalf of the company named above. This certification is provided for all study areas under the common control of the company, and which are listed below and in attachment(s) as necessary.

Signed,

Gilbert R. Rasco
Vice President, Operations

Date: 3-22-02

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